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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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MARTIN PRUSCHY

**EXAMINER: SHIRLEY V. GEMBEH** 

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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated October 20, 2008, response due January 20, 2008, here extended three months by simultaneously-filed Petition for Extension of Time to be due on April 20, 2009, kindly enter the following response.

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